



## CAC/PKI



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### CAC/PKI USER REFERENCE CARD

#### Sending Digitally Signed Messages

1. Insert your CAC into the card reader.
2. From **Outlook**, click **New Mail Message**.  
The **To:** address can be from Global, Personal, or Contacts address lists.
3. Type your message. Select the Red Ribbon icon.
4. Click **Send**. If prompted, enter your PIN and click **OK**. The icon appears on the Sent messages envelope.
5. Check **Sent Items** to confirm.

**Note:** Both PKI and non-PKI recipients can read digitally signed messages.

#### Sending Digitally Signed/Encrypted Messages (with Imported Certificate)

1. Insert your CAC into the card reader.
2. From **Outlook**, click **New Mail Message**.  
The **To:** address *must* come from the Contacts Folder. Select the addressee from Contacts.
3. Type your message. Select the Blue Lock and Red Ribbon icons.

4. Click **Send**. If prompted, enter your PIN and click **OK**.
5. Verify that icon appears in **Sent Items**.

#### Receiving Digitally Signed/Encrypted Messages

1. From **Outlook**, click **New Mail Message**. A prompt requests your CAC and PIN.
2. Enter your PIN. Click **OK** to read your message. The Blue Lock and Red Ribbon icons represent digital signature and encryption.

#### Retrieving PKI Public Keys from Digitally Signed/Encrypted Messages

1. A received signed and/or encrypted message shows an icon(s) in the window header.
2. Right-click the sender's name on the **From:** line. Select **Add to Contacts** from the menu.
3. Click **Save and Close**. This either adds/updates the sender's PKI Public Key certificate to an *existing* contact OR adds the PKI Public Key certificate to a *new* contact.

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#### Downloading PKI Public Keys for a New Contact

1. From **Internet Explorer**, access either:  
<http://dodpki.c3pki.chamb.disa.mil> or  
<http://dodpki.c3pki.den.disa.mil>.
2. Add address to Favorites. Select **Search the Email Directory Server**. Select **Standard Search**.
3. Enter **Last Name** and click **Search** (names are alphabetic).
4. Click the desired name to show the selected entry.
5. Click **Download Certificate**. Select to **Save** file to disk.
6. In the **Save As** window - type the public key filename. Enter:  
**LastNameFirstNameInitial.cer**  
(ex: JonesJ.cer)
7. Click **Save**. After download, click **Close**.
8. Click the **Email Address** on the Directory search page to open a new message.  
After a moment, the **To:** field address

becomes underlined.

9. Right-click the name in the **To:** field and select **Add to Contacts**.
10. Fill in any Contact information. Click the **Certificates** tab.
11. Click **Import**, select the downloaded/saved .cer file, and click **Open**. The certificate imports to the Certificates window.
12. In the Contacts window, select **Save and Close**. Verify the contact exists.

**Note:** Save .cer files to floppy disk or email to import to other PCs.

#### DMS Users

1. Verify DMS icons are featured in color (not grayed) for PKI messages.
2. Click **DMS Convert Message Button** to turn on DMS icons for PKI messages. This applies to New, Reply, and Forwarded messages. (If not, messages convert to an unreadable SMIME.p7m attachment.)

Do you have additional CAC/PKI questions? Call our Helpdesk :

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